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[*on the report of the Fifth Committee (A/55/711)*]

55/237. Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea

The General Assembly,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea[1] and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[2]

Bearing in mind Security Council resolution 1312 (2000) of 31 July 2000 regarding the establishment of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea,

Recognizing that the costs of the Mission are expenses of the Organization to be borne by Member States in accordance with Article 17, paragraph 2, of the Charter of the United Nations,

Recognizing also that, in order to meet the expenditures caused by the Mission, a different procedure is required from that applied to meet expenditures of the regular budget of the United Nations,

Taking into account the fact that the economically more developed countries are in a position to make relatively larger contributions and that the economically less developed countries have a relatively limited capacity to contribute towards such operations,

Bearing in mind the special responsibilities of the States permanent members of the Security Council, as indicated in General Assembly resolution 1874 (S-IV) of 27 June 1963, in the financing of such operations,

Mindful of the fact that it is essential to provide the Mission with the necessary financial resources to enable it to fulfil its responsibilities under the relevant resolutions of the Security Council,

1. *Expresses concern* about the financial situation with regard to peacekeeping activities, in particular as regards the reimbursements to troop contributors that bear additional burdens owing to overdue payments by Member States of their assessments;

[1] A/55/666.
[2] A/55/688.

2. *Urges* all Member States to make every possible effort to ensure payment of their assessed contributions to the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea in full and on time;

3. *Expresses concern* at the delay experienced by the Secretary-General in deploying and providing adequate resources to some recent peacekeeping missions, in particular those in Africa;

4. *Emphasizes* that all future and existing peacekeeping missions shall be given equal and non-discriminatory treatment in respect of financial and administrative arrangements;

5. *Also emphasizes* that all peacekeeping missions shall be provided with adequate resources for the effective and efficient discharge of their respective mandates;

6. *Requests* the Secretary-General to make the fullest possible use of facilities and equipment at the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy, in order to minimize the costs of procurement for the Mission, and for this purpose requests the Secretary-General to speed up the implementation of the asset management system at all peacekeeping missions in accordance with its resolution 52/1 A of 15 October 1997;

7. *Endorses* the conclusions and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions;[2]

8. *Requests* the Secretary-General to take all necessary action to ensure that the Mission is administered with a maximum of efficiency and economy;

9. *Also requests* the Secretary-General, in order to reduce the cost of employing General Service staff, to recruit local staff for the Mission against General Service posts, commensurate with the requirements of the Mission;

10. *Authorizes* the Secretary-General to enter into commitments for the establishment and operation of the Mission for the period from 31 July 2000 to 30 June 2001 in an amount not exceeding 150 million United States dollars gross (148,220,200 dollars net), inclusive of the amount of 50 million dollars gross (49,715,100 dollars net) authorized by the Advisory Committee under the terms of section IV of General Assembly resolution 49/233 A of 23 December 1994, and of the costs related to the dispatch of reconnaissance and liaison teams to the Mission area, and requests the Secretary-General to establish a special account for the Mission;

11. *Decides*, as an ad hoc arrangement, to apportion among Member States the amount of 102,192,982 dollars gross (100,980,428 dollars net) for the period from 31 July 2000 to 15 March 2001, in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of its resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992, 49/249 A of 20 July 1995, 49/249 B of 14 September 1995, 50/224 of 11 April 1996, 51/218 A to C of 18 December 1996, 52/230 of 31 March 1998 and 55/236 of 23 December 2000 and its decisions 48/472 A of 23 December 1993, 50/451 B of 23 December 1995 and 54/456 to 54/458 of 23 December 1999, the scale of assessments for 2000[3] to be applied against a portion thereof, that is, 68,421,052 dollars gross (67,609,214 dollars net), which is the amount pertaining to the period ending 31 December 2000, and the scale of assessments

[3] See resolutions 52/215 A and 54/237 A.

for 2001[4] to be applied against the balance, that is, 33,771,930 dollars gross (33,371,214 dollars net) for the period from 1 January to 15 March 2001;

12. *Decides also* that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph 11 above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 1,212,554 dollars approved for the Mission for the period from 31 July 2000 to 15 March 2001, 811,838 dollars being the amount pertaining to the period ending 31 December 2000 and the balance, that is, 400,716 dollars, pertaining to the period from 1 January to 15 March 2001;

13. *Decides further*, as an ad hoc arrangement, to apportion among Member States the amount of 47,807,018 dollars gross (47,239,772 dollars net) for the period from 16 March to 30 June 2001 at a monthly rate of 13,596,491 dollars gross (13,435,164 dollars net), in accordance with the scheme set out in the present resolution and taking into account the scale of assessments for the year 2001,[4] subject to any decision by the Security Council to extend the mandate of the Mission beyond 15 March 2001;

14. *Decides* that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X), there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph 13 above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 567,246 dollars approved for the Mission for the period from 16 March to 30 June 2001;

15. *Decides also* to appropriate to the Special Account for the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea the additional amount of 9,190,200 dollars gross (8,741,600 dollars net) for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2000 to 30 June 2001, to be apportioned, as an ad hoc arrangement, among Member States in accordance with the scheme set out in the present resolution, the scale of assessments for the year 2000[3] to be applied against a portion thereof, that is 4,595,100 dollars gross (4,370,800 dollars net), which is the amount pertaining to the period ending 31 December 2000, and the scale of assessments for the year 2001[4] to be applied against the balance, that is, 4,595,100 dollars gross (4,370,800 dollars net) for the period from 1 January to 30 June 2001;

16. *Decides further* that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X), there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph 15 above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 448,600 dollars approved for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2000 to 30 June 2001, 224,300 dollars being the amount pertaining to the period ending 31 December 2000 and the balance, that is, 224,300 dollars, pertaining to the period from 1 January to 30 June 2001;

17. *Emphasizes* that no peacekeeping mission shall be financed by borrowing funds from other active peacekeeping missions;

18. *Encourages* the Secretary-General to continue to take additional measures to ensure the safety and security of all personnel under the auspices of the United Nations participating in the Mission;

[4] See resolution 55/5 B, annex II.

19. *Invites* voluntary contributions to the Mission in cash and in the form of services and supplies acceptable to the Secretary-General, to be administered, as appropriate, in accordance with the procedure and practices established by the General Assembly;

20. *Decides* to keep under review during its fifty-fifth session the item entitled "Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea".

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Resolution adopted by the General Assembly

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55/238. Questions relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2000–2001

The General Assembly,

I

Report of the Panel on United Nations Peace Operations

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on resource requirements for implementation of the report of the Panel on United Nations Peace Operations[1] and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[2]

Taking full account of the report of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations on the comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects[3] and General Assembly resolution 55/135 of 8 December 2000, endorsing the proposals, recommendation and conclusions of the Special Committee contained in its report,

Recalling its resolutions 45/258 of 3 May 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992, 48/226 A of 23 December 1993, 48/226 B of 5 April 1994, 48/226 C of 29 July 1994, 49/250 of 20 July 1995, 50/11 of 2 November 1995, 50/221 A of 11 April 1996, 50/221 B of 7 June 1996, 51/226 of 3 April 1997, 51/239 A of 17 June 1997, 51/239 B and 51/243 of 15 September 1997, 52/220 of 22 December 1997, 52/234 and 52/248 of 26 June 1998, 53/12 A of 26 October 1998, 53/208 B of 18 December 1998, 53/12 B of 8 June 1999, 54/243 A of 23 December 1999 and 54/243 B of 15 June 2000 and its decisions 48/489 of 8 July 1994, 49/469 of 23 December 1994 and 50/473 of 23 December 1995,

Recalling also its resolutions 54/249 and 54/250 of 23 December 1999,

Recalling further its resolution 55/2 of 8 September 2000, by which it adopted the United Nations Millennium Declaration,

1. *Reaffirms* rule 153 of its rules of procedure;

[1] A/55/507 and Add.1.
[2] A/55/676.
[3] A/C.4/55/6.

2. *Agrees* with the views expressed by the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations in paragraphs 34 and 35 of its report on the comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects;[3]

3. *Endorses* the conclusions and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[2] and requests the Secretary-General to ensure their full implementation;

4. *Decides* to appropriate an additional amount of 363,000 United States dollars under section 3, Political affairs, 37,200 dollars under section 27, Management and central support services, and 19,200 dollars under section 32, Staff assessment, to be offset by a corresponding amount (19,200 dollars) under income section 1, Income from staff assessment, of the programme budget for the biennium 2000–2001;[4]

5. *Approves* the support account post and non-post requirements in the amount of 9,190,200 dollars gross (8,741,600 dollars net) for the period from 1 July 2000 to 30 June 2001;

6. *Agrees* with paragraph 36 of the report of the Special Committee[3] relating to proper representation of troop-contributing countries in the Department of Peacekeeping Operations of the Secretariat;

7. *Underscores* the importance of consultation with troop-contributing countries from the early stages of mission planning;

8. *Expresses deep concern* over the delay in reimbursement of troop contributors, which can cause hardship to all troop- and equipment-contributing countries, and requests the Secretariat to expedite the processing of all claims and present a progress report in this regard during the first part of the resumed fifty-fifth session of the General Assembly;

9. *Notes* that the related resource requirements presented by the Secretary-General in his report on resource requirements for implementation of the report of the Panel on United Nations Peace Operations[1] have been described by him as an emergency request, whereas, in terms of paragraph 11 of the report of the Advisory Committee,[2] it was acknowledged that not all the proposals in the report of the Secretary-General on resource requirements for implementation of the report of the Panel could be classified as emergency requests;

10. *Regrets* that the report of the Secretary-General on resource requirements for implementation of the report of the Panel was not presented in accordance with rule 153 of its rules of procedures and with established practices, as pointed out in paragraph 3 of the report of the Advisory Committee,[2] and requests the Secretary-General to comply strictly with those rules in the future;

11. *Notes* that the report of the Secretary-General on resource requirements for implementation of the report of the Panel has not been issued in compliance with the six-week rule;

12. *Takes note* of the intention of the Secretary-General to submit future reports to the General Assembly at its fifty-fifth and fifty-sixth sessions on the implementation of the recommendations in the report of the Panel, including the comprehensive review, requested by the Special Committee, of the management, structure, recruitment processes and

[4] *Official Records of the General Assembly, Fifty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 6* (A/54/6/Rev.1), vols I–III; ibid., *Supplement No. 6A* (A/54/6/Rev.1/Add.1); and ibid., *Supplement No. 6B* (A/54/6/Rev.1/Add.2).

interrelationships of all relevant elements within the Secretariat that play a role in peacekeeping operations;

II

Safety and security of United Nations personnel

Reaffirming its resolutions 54/249 and 54/250 of 23 December 1999 and its other relevant resolutions,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on safety and security of United Nations personnel,[5] in particular its administrative and budgetary aspects, and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[6]

1. *Endorses* the recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[6] subject to the provisions set forth in the present section;

2. *Decides* to consider the reclassification of the post of Deputy Security Coordinator from the D-1 level to the D-2 level in the context of its review of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2002-2003;

3. *Also decides* to establish, effective 1 January 2001, eight additional Professional posts (two P-5 and six P-4) in the Office of the United Nations Security Coordinator at Headquarters;

4. *Further decides* to establish, effective 1 January 2001, eight additional security officer (Field Service) posts (four P-4 and four P-3) and sixteen additional Local level posts;

5. *Decides* to appropriate the amount of 2,210,000 dollars under section 30, Special expenses, and the amount of 238,400 dollars under section 32, Staff assessment, to be offset by an equivalent amount under income section 1, Income from staff assessment, of the programme budget for the biennium 2000–2001,[4] for the Secretary-General to undertake the immediate measures for the strengthening of the security management system of the United Nations;

6. *Requests* the Secretary-General, in his capacity as Chairman of the Administrative Committee on Coordination, to develop, in coordination with executive heads of the United Nations specialized agencies, funds and programmes, an effective mechanism for cost-sharing arrangements and, in this connection, to ensure that in future the costs of the security management system are included in the regular budget, to be managed by the United Nations, contingent upon a formal arrangement with the concerned agencies, funds and programmes for participation in the funding of security arrangements and reimbursement to the United Nations for services provided, under income section 2, General income, of the programme budget, and to submit proposals thereon to the General Assembly at its fifty-sixth session through the Advisory Committee, and decides that, in the meantime, the established cost-sharing arrangements between the United Nations and its specialized agencies, funds and programmes will remain in place until the Assembly decides otherwise;

7. *Also requests* the Secretary-General, when presenting future reports under these agenda items, to continue to ensure that separate reports are presented;

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[5] A/55/494.

[6] A/55/658.

III

Revised estimates in respect of matters of which the Security Council is seized

Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General on the revised estimates in respect of matters of which the Security Council is seized,[7] and concurs with the observations and recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions contained in paragraph 7 of its related report;[8]

IV

Capital master plan

1. *Takes note* of the report of the Secretary-General on the capital master plan;[9]

2. *Also takes note* of the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[10] and endorses the observations and recommendations contained therein;

3. *Authorizes* the Secretary-General, without prejudice to a final decision by the General Assembly on this issue, to proceed with the preparation of a comprehensive design plan and detailed cost analysis for the capital master plan, and decides to appropriate an amount of 8 million dollars under section 31, Construction, alteration, improvement and major maintenance, of the programme budget for the biennium 2000–2001[4] for this purpose;

4. *Requests* the Secretary-General to submit a report on the outcome of the comprehensive design plan and detailed cost analysis to the General Assembly as soon as possible, including details of measures designed to protect the Organization from cost overruns;

5. *Calls upon* the Secretary-General to ensure that the preparation of a comprehensive design plan and detailed cost analysis for the capital master plan will identify all viable alternatives in the most cost-effective and efficient manner;

V

International Court of Justice

1. *Approves* an additional appropriation of 591,900 dollars under section 7, International Court of Justice, of the programme budget for the biennium 2000–2001[4] and an additional appropriation of 128,800 dollars under section 32, Staff assessment, offset by the same amount under income section 1, Income from staff assessment;

2. *Requests* the Joint Inspection Unit to expedite its report on the review of the management and administration of the International Court of Justice[11] and to submit it, together with the comments of the Court thereon, for consideration by the General Assembly at its resumed fifty-fifth session;

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[7] A/C.5/55/30.

[8] A/55/7/Add.6. For the final text, see *Official Records of the General Assembly, Fifty-fifth Session, Supplement No. 7.*

[9] A/55/117 and Add.1.

[10] A/55/7/Add.4. For the final text, see *Official Records of the General Assembly, Fifty-fifth Session, Supplement No. 7.*

[11] See A/53/841, annex, para. 5.

VI

Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the programme of work of the Institute for 2001

Approves the recommendation for a subvention of 213,000 dollars for 2001 from the regular budget of the United Nations, on the understanding that no additional appropriation would be required under section 4, Disarmament, of the programme budget for the biennium 2000–2001;[4]

VII

Conditions of service and compensation for officials, other than Secretariat officials, serving the General Assembly: full-time members of the International Civil Service Commission and the Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

1. *Takes note* of the report of the Secretary-General entitled "Conditions of service and compensation for officials, other than Secretariat officials, serving the General Assembly: full-time members of the International Civil Service Commission and the Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions",[12] and approves the suggestions outlined in paragraphs 8 to 10 and in paragraph 19 of the report;

2. *Decides* to undertake a detailed examination of the issue of compensation relativity in the context of the next five-year review of the conditions of service and compensation for the three officials;

3. *Reaffirms* the principle that the conditions of service of the three officials should be separate and distinct from those of the Secretariat;

VIII

Review of the Information Systems Coordination Committee

Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General on the review of the Information Systems Coordination Committee,[13] and concurs with the observations and recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions in paragraph 9 of its related report;[14]

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[12] A/C.5/55/29.

[13] A/55/619.

[14] A/55/7/Add.3. For the final text, see *Official Records of the General Assembly, Fifty-fifth Session, Supplement No. 7.*

IX

First performance report on the programme budget for the biennium 2000–2001

Having considered the first performance report of the Secretary-General on the programme budget for the biennium 2000–2001[15] and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[16]

1. *Reaffirms* the budgetary process as approved in its resolution 41/213 of 19 December 1986 and as reaffirmed in its subsequent resolutions;

2. *Reaffirms also* its resolution 54/249 of 23 December 1999;

3. *Takes note* of the first performance report of the Secretary-General on the programme budget for the biennium 2000–2001[15] and the related report and recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions;[16]

4. *Notes* the higher than budgeted vacancy rate relative to the rate approved by the General Assembly in its resolution 54/249, and requests the Secretary-General to take all appropriate measures to rectify this situation in an expeditious manner;

5. *Approves* a net decrease of 34,642,200 dollars in the appropriation approved for the biennium 2000–2001 and a net increase of 19,097,000 dollars in the estimates of income for the biennium, to be apportioned among expenditure and income sections, as indicated in the report of the Secretary-General;

X

Contingency fund

Notes that a balance of 224,300 dollars remains in the contingency fund;

XI

Recosting of outstanding statements of programme budget implications and revised estimates

Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General on recosting of outstanding statements of programme budget implications and revised estimates,[17] and decides that the recosting and the related adjustments should be reflected in the revised appropriation for the biennium 2000–2001.

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[15] A/55/645 and Corr.1 and Add.1.

[16] A/55/7/Add.5 and Corr.1. For the final text, see *Official Records of the General Assembly, Fifty-fifth Session, Supplement No. 7.*

[17] A/C.5/55/35.

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55/239. Programme budget for the biennium 2000–2001

A

REVISED BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE BIENNIUM 2000–2001

The General Assembly

Resolves that for the biennium 2000–2001 the amount of 2,535,689,200 United States dollars appropriated by it in its resolution 54/250 A of 23 December 1999 shall be adjusted by 2,563,800 dollars, as follows:

Section		*Amount approved in resolution 54/250 A*	*Increase/(decrease)*	*Revised appropriation*
		(in United States dollars)		
Part I.	*Overall policy-making, direction and coordination*			
	1. Overall policy-making, direction and coordination	47 675 100	338 000	48 013 100
	2. General Assembly affairs and conference services	425 970 200	(16 946 100)	409 024 100
	Total, part I	**473 645 300**	**(16 608 100)**	**457 037 200**
Part II.	*Political affairs*			
	3. Political affairs	137 756 000	30 088 700	167 844 700
	4. Disarmament	14 067 900	(247 000)	13 820 900
	5. Peacekeeping operations	76 094 700	(1 210 700)	74 884 000
	6. Peaceful uses of outer space	3 667 700	(354 200)	3 313 500
	Total, part II	**231 586 300**	**28 276 800**	**259 863 100**
Part III.	*International justice and law*			
	7. International Court of Justice	20 864 500	(257 800)	20 606 700
	8. Legal affairs	34 522 300	(641 700)	33 880 600
	Total, part III	**55 386 800**	**(899 500)**	**54 487 300**

Section		Amount approved in resolution 54/250 A	Increase/(decrease)	Revised appropriation
		(in United States dollars)		
Part IV.	*International cooperation for development*			
9.	Economic and social affairs	113 112 600	(680 800)	112 431 800
10.	Africa: New Agenda for Development	5 883 400	(23 600)	5 859 800
11A.	Trade and development	87 685 500	(6 311 900)	81 373 600
11B.	International Trade Centre UNCTAD/WTO	19 248 700	(2 238 900)	17 009 800
12.	Environment	8 743 400	(642 500)	8 100 900
13.	Human settlements	13 757 400	(1 460 100)	12 297 300
14.	Crime prevention and criminal justice	5 299 100	(477 800)	4 821 300
15.	International drug control	15 037 800	(1 319 600)	13 718 200
	Total, part IV	**268 767 900**	**(13 155 200)**	**255 612 700**
Part V.	*Regional cooperation for development*			
16.	Economic and social development in Africa	78 455 200	2 189 800	80 645 000
17.	Economic and social development in Asia and the Pacific	57 031 600	(2 620 400)	54 411 200
18.	Economic development in Europe	40 554 600	(3 140 000)	37 414 600
19.	Economic and social development in Latin America and the Caribbean	78 857 500	(3 273 400)	75 584 100
20.	Economic and social development in Western Asia	50 336 200	(1 754 800)	48 581 400
21.	Regular programme of technical cooperation	41 995 300	(740 500)	41 254 800
	Total, part V	**347 230 400**	**(9 339 300)**	**337 891 100**
Part VI.	*Human rights and humanitarian affairs*			
22.	Human rights	41 163 400	(2 095 700)	39 067 700
23.	Protection of and assistance to refugees	41 940 000	(3 101 100)	38 838 900
24.	Palestine refugees	21 667 900	1 507 500	23 175 400
25.	Humanitarian assistance	18 841 800	(393 900)	18 447 900
	Total, part VI	**123 613 100**	**(4 083 200)**	**119 529 900**
Part VII.	*Public information*			
26.	Public information	143 605 500	(1 071 000)	142 534 500
	Total, part VII	**143 605 500**	**(1 071 000)**	**142 534 500**
Part VIII.	*Common support services*			
27.	Management and central support services	441 857 400	(8 288 300)	433 569 100
	Total, part VIII	**441 857 400**	**(8 288 300)**	**433 569 100**
Part IX.	*Internal oversight*			
28.	Internal oversight	19 220 600	(469 900)	18 750 700
	Total, part IX	**19 220 600**	**(469 900)**	**18 750 700**

Section		Amount approved in resolution 54/250 A	Increase/(decrease)	Revised appropriation
		(in United States dollars)		
Part X.	*Jointly financed administrative activities and special expenses*			
	29. Jointly financed administrative activities	7 844 300	176 200	8 020 500
	30. Special expenses	53 001 200	1 510 500	54 511 700
	Total, part X	**60 845 500**	**1 686 700**	**62 532 200**
Part XI.	*Capital expenditures*			
	31. Construction, alteration, improvement and major maintenance	42 617 400	7 149 900	49 767 300
	Total, part XI	**42 617 400**	**7 149 900**	**49 767 300**
Part XII.	*Staff assessment*			
	32. Staff assessment	314 248 000	14 237 300	328 485 300
	Total, part XII	**314 248 000**	**14 237 300**	**328 485 300**
Part XIII.	*Development Account*			
	33. Development Account	13 065 000	-	13 065 000
	Total, part XIII	**13 065 000**	-	**13 065 000**
	Grand total	**2 535 689 200**	**(2 563 800)**	**2 533 125 400**

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B

REVISED INCOME ESTIMATES FOR THE BIENNIUM 2000–2001

The General Assembly

Resolves that, for the biennium 2000–2001, the estimates of income of 361,298,900 United States dollars approved by it in its resolution 54/250 B of 23 December 1999 shall be increased by 19,523,800 dollars, as follows:

Income section	Amount approved in resolution 54/250 B	Increase/(decrease)	Revised appropriation
	(in United States dollars)		
1. Income from staff assessment	318 911 500	14 213 700	333 125 200
Total, income section 1	**318 911 500**	**14 213 700**	**333 125 200**
2. General income	37 178 000	5 550 600	42 728 600
3. Services to the public	5 209 400	(240 500)	4 968 900
Total, income sections 2 and 3	**42 387 400**	**5 310 100**	**47 697 500**
Grand total	**361 298 900**	**19 523 800**	**380 822 700**

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FINANCING OF THE APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE YEAR 2001

The General Assembly

Resolves that, for the year 2001:

1. Budget appropriations totalling 1,265,280,800 United States dollars and consisting of 1,267,844,600 dollars, being half of the appropriations initially approved for the biennium 2000–2001 in its resolution 54/250 C of 23 December 1999, less 2,563,800 dollars, being the reduction approved by the General Assembly in resolution A above, shall be financed in accordance with regulations 5.1 and 5.2 of the Financial Regulations of the United Nations as follows:

(*a*) 51,899,313 dollars, consisting of:

(i) 21,193,700 dollars, being half of the estimated income other than income from staff assessment approved for the biennium 2000-2001 by the Assembly in its resolution 54/250 B of 23 December 1999;

(ii) Plus 5,310,100 dollars, being the increase approved by the Assembly in resolution B above;

(iii) 25,395,513 dollars, being the balance in the surplus account as at 31 December 1999;

(*b*) 1,213,381,487 dollars, being the assessment on Member States in accordance with its resolution 55/5 B of 23 December 2000 on the scale of assessments for the year 2001;

2. There shall be set off against the assessment on Member States, in accordance with the provisions of General Assembly resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund in the total amount of 179,097,566 dollars, consisting of:

(*a*) 159,455,750 dollars, being half of the estimated staff assessment income approved by the Assembly in its resolution 54/250 B;

(*b*) Plus 14,213,700 dollars, being the estimated increase in income from staff assessment approved by the Assembly in resolution B above;

(*c*) Plus 5,428,116 dollars, being the increase in income from staff assessment for the biennium 1998–1999 compared with the revised estimates approved by the Assembly in its resolution 54/247 B of 23 December 1999.

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